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Title:

ERASABLE MESSAGE BOARD FOR A VEHICLE

Atty. Docket No.: 04636 (LC 0146 PUS)

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# AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner of Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits this Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 26, 2005.

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teach or suggest a handwriting message board that is integrally formed as part of a vehicle structure and a message board that is at least partially contained within a vehicle structure. Therefore, claims 5 and 12 are also, novel, nonobvious, and are in a condition for allowance.

Applicants want to remind the Examiner that some of the best inventions are also some of the most simplistic and although an invention may be simple, simplicity does not by any means imply lack of novelty.

In light of the amendments and remarks, Applicants submit that all of the objections and rejections are now overcome. The Applicants have added no new matter to the application by these amendments. The application is now in condition for allowance and expeditious notice thereof is earnestly solicited. Should the Examiner have any questions or comments, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned attorney.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0476.

Respectfully submitted,

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# **FEE TRANSMITTAL**

#### Electronic Version v08

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Title of Invention

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Date:

First Named Applicant:

Alan Sturt

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### **BASIC FILING FEE**

Fee Description	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$
Utility Filing Fee	1001	770	
		Subtotal Fo	r Basic Filing Fees: \$ 770

#### **EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Extra Claim	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$		
Total Claims : 20	0	1202	18	0		
Independent Claims: 3	0	1201	86	0		
Subtotal For Extra Claims Fee						

## **ASSIGNMENT FEES**

Fee Description	Property Number	Quantity	Fee Code	Amount \$	Fee Paid \$		
Recording Each Patent Assignment Per Property Fee	0000000	1	8021	40	40		
Subtotal For Additional Fees: \$4							

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